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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Efrain Torres et al. Art Unit: 3625  
Application No.: 09/827,803 Examiner: Matthew S. Gart  
Filed: April 6, 2001  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF PLANNING A FUNERAL

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM  
THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed **February 27, 2007** finally rejecting claims **1-4, 8-29, 59, 61-62, 65-66 and 70-93**.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ Applicants hereby petition for a      month extension of time to reply to the final rejection.  
A check in the amount of \$      is attached.
2. ☒ Appeal Fee: XXX Other than a small entity Fee: \$500.00  
     Small Entity Status previously  
Fee: \$       
     Requested and is still proper  
     Small Entity Status Requested Fee: \$
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